

DOCKET NO. 2000-400-C - ORDER NO. 2000-671

IN RE: Request of GTE South, Inc. for Name Change ) ORDER APPROVING  
for Incumbent Local Exchange to Verizon ) CHANGE OF NAME  
South, Inc. ) AND APPROVING  
) TARIFF REVISIONS TO  
) REFLECT NEW NAME

By letter, the Commission was requested to change the name of GTE South, Incorporated to Verizon South, Inc. The Commission was further requested to transfer to Verizon South, Inc. all of the operating authority that had been granted to GTE South, Inc. The Company has filed a tariff reflecting the new name. Upon consideration of this matter, the Commission approves GTE South's request to amend its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity and its tariff to reflect its new name. The Commission grants the following name change:

FROM: GTE South, Incorporated

TO: Verizon South, Inc.

AUGUST 25, 2000

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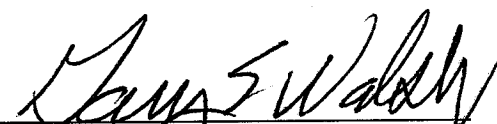
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This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the  
Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

  
Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director

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